

Modelli 1 @ Clamfim

Equazioni differenziali

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$$y(x) = xu(x) \implies \begin{cases} u' = -\frac{1 + u^2}{2xu} \\ u(1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

Risolvere il problema ai valori iniziali per l'equazione omogenea

$$\begin{cases} y' = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{2xy} \\ y(1) = 2 \end{cases}$$

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Linear first order equations Consider the differential equation

$$\begin{cases} y'(x) = a(x)y(x) + b(x) \\ y(x_0) = y_0 \end{cases} \quad (\text{L})$$

Functions $a(x)$, $b(x)$ are continuous in the interval $I \subset \mathbb{R}$

(L) is said linear differential equation of first order. We are able to establish a formula for its integration as well as we do for the separable equation

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We will prove the theorem later. Now we give an example of its application

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$$y(x) = e^{x^3} \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2} \right)$$

Constant coefficients equation

$$\begin{cases} y'(x) = ay(x) + b \\ y(x_0) = y_0 \end{cases}$$

has solution

$$y(x) = \left(y_0 + \frac{b}{a} \right) e^{a(x-x_0)} - \frac{b}{a}$$

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Evaluating $y(x_0)$ we see that $\text{constant} = y_0$ and thesis follows

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the change of variable $v(x) = y^{1-\alpha}(x)$ transforms the given equation into a linear equation

$$v'(x) = (1 - \alpha) a(x)v(x) + (1 - \alpha) b(x).$$